

# TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY



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November 12, 2004

Mr Mike Swatts, Regulatory Manager  
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Subject Docket No 04-00398, Petition by The Federal Communications  
Commission, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 54.207(D), for Tennessee  
Regulatory Authority Agreement in Redefining Service Areas

Dear Mr Swatts

The recent FCC Order<sup>1</sup> granting Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc (Advantage") eligible telecommunications ("ETC") status also proposed to redefine the service areas of certain rural incumbent local exchange carriers, which includes Citizens Telecommunications Company of Tennessee d/b/a Frontier Communications ("Citizens") subject to the review and final agreement by the Authority

In order to assist the Staff in analyzing the FCC's proposal it is requested that Citizens provide the Authority with the below requested information

1. Provide a listing (exchange name) of Citizens' local exchange service areas.
2. State whether each of the exchange service areas listed are high cost or low cost service areas, and provide the appropriate justification
3. Provide the number of lines associated with each exchange service area
4. Provide the population density of each exchange service area

Please submit the requested information by November 23, 2004. If you have any questions concerning this request please contact Lewis De Board at 1-800-342-8359, extension 219

Sincerely,

*[Handwritten signature: Darlene Standley]*

Darlene Standley, Chief  
Utilities Division

<sup>1</sup> See *In Re In The Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc., Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the state of Tennessee*, CC Docket No. 96-45, Order, October 22, 2004

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Mr Robert D Dudney, General Manager  
Twin Lakes Telephone Cooperative Corporation  
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Subject Docket No 04-00398, Petition by The Federal Communications  
Commission, pursuant to 47 C F R 54 207(D), for Tennessee  
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Dear Mr Swatts

The recent FCC Order<sup>1</sup> granting Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc (Advantage") eligible telecommunications ("ETC") status also proposed to redefine the service areas of certain rural incumbent local exchange carriers, which includes Twin Lakes Telephone Cooperative Corporation ("Twin Lakes") subject to the review and final agreement by the Authority

In order to assist the Staff in analyzing the FCC's proposal it is requested that Twin Lakes provide the Authority with the below requested information.

- 1 Provide a listing (exchange name) of Twin Lakes' local exchange service areas
- 2 State whether each of the exchange service areas listed are high cost or low cost service areas, and provide the appropriate justification
- 3 Provide the number of lines associated with each exchange service area
- 4 Provide the population density of each exchange service area

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Sincerely,

*J M Fort for Darlene Standley*

Darlene Standley, Chief  
Utilities Division

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Mr Greg Anderson, General Manager  
Bledsoe Telephone Cooperative  
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203 Cumberland Avenue  
Pikeville, TN 37367

Subject Docket No 04-00398, Petition by The Federal Communications  
Commission, pursuant to 47 C F R 54.207(D), for Tennessee  
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Dear Mr Anderson

The recent FCC Order<sup>1</sup> granting Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc (Advantage") eligible telecommunications ("ETC") status also proposed to redefine the service areas of certain rural incumbent local exchange carriers, which includes Bledsoe Telephone Cooperative ("Bledsoe") subject to the review and final agreement by the Authority

In order to assist the Staff in analyzing the FCC's proposal it is requested that Bledsoe provide the Authority with the below requested information.

- 1 Provide a listing (exchange name) of Bledsoe's local exchange service areas.
- 2 State whether each of the exchange service areas listed are high cost or low cost service areas, and provide the appropriate justification
- 3 Provide the number of lines associated with each exchange service area.
- 4 Provide the population density of each exchange service area

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Sincerely,

Darlene Standley, Chief  
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Mr F Thomas Rowland, General Manager  
North Central Telephone Cooperative, Inc  
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Commission, pursuant to 47 C F R 54 207(D), for Tennessee  
Regulatory Authority Agreement in Redefining Service Areas

Dear Mr Swatts

The recent FCC Order<sup>1</sup> granting Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc (Advantage") eligible telecommunications ("ETC") status also proposed to redefine the service areas of certain rural incumbent local exchange carriers, which includes North Central Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("North Central") subject to the review and final agreement by the Authority

In order to assist the Staff in analyzing the FCC's proposal it is requested that North Central provide the Authority with the below requested information.

- 1 Provide a listing (exchange name) of North Central's local exchange service areas.
- 2 State whether each of the exchange service areas listed are high cost or low cost service areas, and provide the appropriate justification
- 3 Provide the number of lines associated with each exchange service area
4. Provide the population density of each exchange service area

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Sincerely,

*Dan Ford for Darlene Standley*

Darlene Standley, Chief  
Utilities Division

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Mr. Leslie Greer, CEO  
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Alexandria, TN 37012

Subject: Docket No 04-00398, Petition by The Federal Communications  
Commission, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 54.207(D), for Tennessee  
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Dear Mr. Greer

The recent FCC Order<sup>1</sup> granting Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc. (Advantage") eligible telecommunications ("ETC") status also proposed to redefine the service areas of certain rural incumbent local exchange carriers. Additionally, ETC status for those certain exchange areas are subject to the review and final agreement with the FCC's redefinition of the service area by the Authority

In order to assist the Staff in analyzing the FCC's proposal please provide the Authority with a copy of the filing Advantage furnished to the FCC, complete with all attachments as well as any subsequent amendments, requesting ETC status in Tennessee.

Additionally, Please advise if Bledsoe, Frontier, Twin Lakes and North Central were served with the petition filed May 9, 2003, as well as the subsequent supplemental filings

Please provide the requested documents by November 23, 2004. If you have any questions concerning this request please contact Lewis De Board at 1-800-342-8359, extension 219.

Sincerely,

*D. M. Ford for Darlene Standley*

Darlene Standley, Chief  
Utilities Division

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